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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Reply to the Restriction Requirement dated October 20, 2004 for two months, from November 20, 2004 to January 20, 2005 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

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1 month -	\$ 60	\$ 120
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Mail Stop Sequence Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply to Restriction Requirement, Preliminary Amendment and Transmittal of Substitute Sequence Listing for filing in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been [] established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT, PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND TRANSMITTAL OF SUBSTITUTE SEQUENCE LISTING

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Sir:

Applicant hereby responds to the Restriction Requirement dated October 20, 2004. "SEQ ID NO: 5" is elected for prosecution. Claims readable on the elected sequence are Claims 1-16, 26, 28, as well as new Claims 35-42.

Responsive to the requirement to select a single disclosed moiety in positions R1 and R2, Applicant hereby elects -H as the R1 moiety and -NH₂ as the R2 moiety. Claims readable on the elected moieties are Claims 1-6, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 17-19, 21-23, 25, 26, 28, as well as new

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If both requirements are considered together, claims readable on the elected sequence and the elected moieties at positions R1 and R2 are Claims 1-6, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 26 and 28, as well as new Claims 35-41.

Applicant reserves the right to file a continuing application or take such other appropriate action as deemed necessary to protect the non-elected inventions. Applicant does not hereby abandon or waive any rights in the non-elected inventions.

An extension of time to respond to the Restriction Requirement is respectfully requested.

A Petition for an Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently.

The requirement is being traversed for the reasons set forth in detail below.

Please amend the application as follows: